FILEN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MARYLAND, NORTHERN DIVISION

EOUAL EMPLOYMENT COMMISSION, et al. AT BAI Plaintiffs V. Civil No. WDQ-02-648 LA WEIGHT LOSS. Defendant

Pursuant to the hearing of this date, and for the reasons stated at that hearing, it is this 24th day of March 2004, ORDERED that:

ORDER

- 1. Plaintiff's unopposed Motion for Leave to File Amended Complaint (Paper No. 45) BE, and HEREBY is , GRANTED;
- 2. Plaintiff's Motion to Bifurcate Trial and Discovery (Paper No. 46) BE, and HEREBY is, GRANTED; and counsel shall propose an agreed upon Order by April 7, 2004;
- 3. The Joint Motion for Extension of Time to Complete Discovery (Paper No. 51) BE, and HEREBY is GRANTED, and counsel shall jointly propose a schedule by April 7, 2004;
- 4. Defendant's Motion for Pre-Trial Conference (Paper No. 53) BE, and HEREBY is GRANTED;
- 5. Intervenor Plaintiff Koch's Motion to Compel Discovery (Paper No. 58)BE, and HEREBY is, REFERRED to a Magistrate Judge for disposition; and

6. The Clerk shall MAIL a copy of this ORDER to counsel

LLAM D. OUARLES. JR. United States District Judge